

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Applicant(s): **Lancaster**

Serial No.: **09/689,442**

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Title: **Semiconductor Non-Volatile Memory  
Device Having Improved Write Speed**

Group Art Unit: **2822**

Examiner: **Meier, S.**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The following is submitted in response to the Office Action dated September 12, 2001, and is currently due November 13, 2001, with a two-month extension.

REMARKS

Entry of the following amendments is respectfully requested.

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